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Ros Birnbaum Made Freshette Queen At Opening Dance

McGill has its first Freshette Queen.

She is pretty, 16-year-old Ros Birnbaum, who won the closely contested election for queen at the opening Freshman dance last Tuesday night.

From the 20 entries received the Freshman Reception Committee selected five finalists: Dot Baxter, B.Sc. 1, a recent graduate of St. Helen's; Sue Robinson, B.A. 1, a former student of Miss Edgar's and Miss Cramp's; Helen Nollie, B.A. 1, a Westmount High graduate; Anne Skalth, B.A. 1 from Toronto and Ros Birnbaum, a graduate of Westhill High.

These five were introduced to a crowd that numbered more than 600 from the balcony overlooking the Union Ballroom. Ballots were cast on the stub of the Freshman dance tickets which had been specially prepared for the election. Upper classmen were unable to vote.

When the votes had been counted there appeared to be several confusing minutes for the committee, preparing to announce the results. The quiet-spoken, 5 ft. 4 inch queen-to-be had wandered out of the room where the five finalists were awaiting the result of the election. She was located within a few minutes and led to the ballroom where she was placed upon the throne and crowned by Dave Floyer, chairman of the Freshman Reception Committee. The Queen and her four attendants were then presented with gifts.

When questioned about her election, Ros replied: "One of the boys came and asked me to be a candidate. I thought he was fooling, so I said sure."

Her highness was surprised to hear her name announced as a candidate and could hardly believe it when she was elected queen.

"You see," she explained, "this is one of those things a girl dreams about. One of those things that always happen to somebody else."

As a freshette she is looking forward to hazing. "It's fun, even if they do pick on us," she said.

Having graduated from High School with first class honors, Ros is taking a general arts course and may teach school upon graduation. She feels that the first two years will give her an opportunity to consider various courses of study and help her decide definitely what she wants to do after she has graduated.

Listing her interest as music, drama and sports, she said of sports: "It's not that I am particularly good at them, but I do well enough to enjoy them."

The queen will preside over all Freshman and First year club events during the year.

Meeting To Discuss Activities Nights

There will be a meeting for all clubs and societies who plan to be represented at the Activities Nights of the Freshman Reception Committee in the McGill Union, Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. to allocate space for booths and displays, it has been announced.

Keith Eddy, chairman of the Activities Nights, has asked that executives of the clubs and societies who are planning to set up displays or booths on either Activities Night

Greek Ambassador to Unveil Sacred Icon at Divinity Hall

Presented to McGill earlier this year by the late Archbishop Damaskinos of Athens, a sacred icon will be unveiled by the Greek Ambassador to Canada in a service at Divinity Hall next Tuesday afternoon.

Marking also the inauguration of the 1949-50 session of the faculty of Divinity, the service will be attended by His Excellency, Constantine Sakellariopoulos, Ambassador of Greece to Canada; Chief Justice O. S. Tyndale, the chancellor; Dr. F. Cyril James, principal; Mr. W. M. Birks, a governor; Dean J. S. Thomson, of the faculty of divinity, and a host of University governors, senators and faculty members.

Pictured on the icon is the Apostle Paul preaching from the Pnyx before the Areopagus. It was presented to the University by the late Archbishop Damaskinos last

MESSAGE FROM E.U.S. PRESIDENT

In my capacity as President of the Engineering Undergraduate Society, I extend a greeting to all new students entering the Faculty of Engineering and to those of you who have returned this year with the battle scars of examinations still upon you.

To our friends at Dawson, even though you are 30 miles away, may I say that we are keenly interested in your welfare and through our Dawson Liaison man, George M. Currie, we will be able to give you able support in all your activities. You run your own show and we will assist you when and if you request it.

To all Engineers may I say that the Engineering Undergraduate Society does not exist solely because you have elected an Executive but rather it exists through your active participation in all its extra-curricular activities. There is a job for each one of you in some capacity in E.U.S. functions. We know that we can count on your support for the coming year.

The activities of the E.U.S. cover the social, educational, recreational and professional fields. A partial list of these are outlined below:

Plumber's Ball; Social committee includes Fall Informal and Smokers; E.U.S. Book Service; House Committee; Debating Society; McGill Engineer; Professional Committee, Curriculum Committee; Publications Board. Film Committee.

As you can see there is room for each one of you to express himself through an E.U.S. activity.

CLAUDE E. HOWARD, President, Engineering Undergraduate Society.

Ballroom Broadcast To Be Over CJAD

Two McGill "freshies" and two faculty members will discuss "hazing" during a student-professor forum scheduled for broadcast over CJAD, Sunday, Oct. 9, 2:30-3:00 p.m. The live broadcast will originate from the ballroom of the McGill Union. Students are invited to attend this event.

Christine Sexton, graduate of Mount Royal High School, George Wilkie, graduate of Westmount Senior High School, Dr. G. I. Duhalde of the English department and Rev. E. C. Knowles will form the discussion panel.

During the half-hour broadcast each speaker will present a four minute talk for, or against hazing. In addition they will have to answer questions submitted by fellow speakers and the audience.

The two freshies were chosen at a special audition held by the McGill Radio Committee in conjunction with the McGill Radio Workshop. Various high school principals were asked to recommend students for this audition.

The following students also were auditioned: Allan Levine, Robert Smith, Marvin Gameroff, Julia Holden, Anne Henry and Barbara Bain.

attend the meeting so that they may receive space allocations. The room in which the meeting will be held will be posted on the bulletin board on Wednesday.



THE FRESHETTE QUEEN: Rosalind Birnbaum is crowned by Reception Committee Chairman Dave Floyer as the four runners-up look on. Chosen at Tuesday's Freshman Dance by over 600 fellow

fresh, Rosalind edged out, reading from left to right, Ann Skalth, Dorothy Baxter, Helen Nollie and Ann Robinson.



ROSALIND BIRNBAUM, who was named Freshette Queen at a dance held in the Union Ballroom Tuesday night. A former West Hill High student, she is now studying Arts at McGill.

Federal Scholarships Main Topics of NFCUS

OTTAWA — (CUP) — Approximately 50 delegates representing 19 Canadian universities discussed important problems at the 13th annual conference of the National Federation of Canadian University Students held recently in Ottawa.

The meeting which took place at the University of Ottawa from September 7-10, centred on the work of five commissions which had been set up to investigate and report on a wide range of subjects relating to university students. Gordon of immediate interest to 60,000 Canadian students is the University of Toronto president.

Foremost among the general topics of discussion were: the question of federal aid to higher education; the possibility of securing reductions in the high cost of textbooks; wider publicity of the aims and activities of N.F.C.U.S.; the establishment of a permanent travel bureau for students; Canadian-American student exchanges; the 1950 Quebec seminar; and Canadian university debating.

Federal Aid to Higher Education The delegates unanimously approved a brief on Federal Aid to Higher Education which is to serve as the basis of a work to be presented to the Royal Commission on Arts, Letters and Science meeting in Halifax on January 20th, 1950.

The brief, prepared by a group of Dalhousie University students under Rickey Love, urged: "the adoption of the principle of equality of opportunity in higher education in Canada" based on a two-fold programme of aid directly to worthy students and aid directly to the universities.

It is estimated that approximately 10,000 annual scholarships of \$500 each are required to provide education for deserving students. It is further proposed that this sum be increased in future years until it covers all who need financial aid. In discussing the brief, the delegates unanimously agreed that the proposed programme of federal aid be composed largely of scholar-

ships with decreasing emphasis on bursaries and loans in that order."

(In an interview with the student delegates, Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent openly favored this national system of granting scholarships to universities and said that he would study with interest the way in which other federal states have handled the problem. "We will strive to find an adequate solution to the problem for it is absolutely necessary that a just proportion of the Canadian population may be given the privilege of a university education," he said.)

UBC Receives Latvian DP On I.S.S. Plan

Vancouver — (Special)—A pretty 22-year-old Latvian DP arrived in Vancouver recently after traveling 8,000 miles, to study zoology at the University of B.C.

She is the first DP to come to UBC under a new scholarship plan jointly sponsored by the International Student Service and the International Relations Organization of UNESCO.

Here For A Year Under the plan, Miss Guna Valters will study at UBC for one year. After that she is free to stay in Canada or to return to her home.

But as Miss Valters remarked with a sad smile, she won't be able to return to Latvia as long as it is under Russian control. Miss Valters, with her mother and brother, escaped from behind the iron curtain after the Russians entered her country during the war. They have been living in Germany since 1944. Her father is still in Latvia.

Canada is very new and wonderful to Miss Valters, but university life will be "just like old

Toronto University Coed Detained at Ellis Island By Immigration Officials

Red & White Revue To Elect Officers

Necessitated by the withdrawal of several top executive officers, an election meeting of everyone interested in the Red and White Revue has been called by Student's Society President Colin McCallum for 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Union.

In announcing the meeting yesterday, McCallum stressed that it is imperative that organization for this year's Revue get underway as soon as possible. Hence a new executive must be elected immediately, he said.

Beecham to Lead And Lecture Here

Sir Thomas Beecham, noted British conductor, is expected in Montreal Nov. 4 to conduct the first performance of Hector Berlioz's "Requiem," presented by Montreal Festivals.

McGill music lovers will learn with interest of Sir Thomas' return to Montreal after an absence of eight years. Prior to conducting the impressive religious work, Sir Thomas will give a lecture at the Windsor Hotel. His topic will be "Ballet and Stars of Ballet."

ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN HIS EXPECTED MARK

The Queen's Endowment campaign, initiated last February, showed favorable progress through

U.S.A. Regrets Mistakes; Apologizes for Stupidity



ALL A MISTAKE: Pretty 21-year-old Ruth Comfort, University of Toronto student and daughter of Charles F. Comfort, Canadian artist, was detained 24 hours by U.S.

the summer months following a high-powered national publicity campaign.

To date approximately \$800,000 has been contributed towards the twofold objective, which includes \$1,000,000 towards building and \$2,000,000 for the endowment fund. Heading the campaign committee is M. C. Tillotson, assistant Treasurer of the University.

Toronto.—(Special)—Detained at Ellis Island for 24 hours as a "Communist," a 21-year-old University of Toronto co-ed has received an apology from the United States State Department.

The co-ed, Ruth Comfort, Crescent Rd., daughter of Charles C. Comfort, Canadian artist, was detained "as the result of a most regrettable and unfortunate mistake," U.S. officials acknowledged.

Miss Comfort was returning from Holland with a group of Canadian students including Geoffrey Pearson, son of Lester B. Pearson, minister of external affairs, aboard the Dutch steamer Volendam when taken into custody and accused of making an "inflammatory" pro-Communist speech aboard ship.

The U.S. apology was received by the department of external affairs in Ottawa after Hume Wrong, Canadian ambassador in Washington, had protested the detention.

"I think it was a case of mistaken identity," Miss Comfort said today. She was back in class at the university, where she is a third-year student in occupational therapy. She said she was stopped by immigration authorities when the boat reached New York and asked whether she had ever been connected with the Labor-Progressive party.

"I answered, No. Then I was asked for my political inclinations and what organizations I belonged to," she said. "I was also questioned about my motives for going to Europe. The official asked me: 'You visited Russia, didn't you?'"

Miss Comfort had been attending a student seminar near Breda, Holland, arranged by the International Student Service of Canada, an organization devoted to international student relief and understanding. The organization is non-political, officials said today.

"Rather Annoyed Us" Geoffrey Pearson is a third year student at Trinity college. "The whole thing was a mistake," young Pearson said. "It could have happened to any one of us. It made us rather annoyed."

Miss Comfort said an Ellis Island guard had told her she was believed to have "made a speech aboard ship, evidently in favor of communism." Later he told her five secret service agents had been put on the boat at Rotterdam. "I told him some of the students aboard had been to a festival held in Budapest and had been outspoken on their political views," she said. "He told me they would be followed secretly."

"I have never in any way been connected with the Labor-Progressive party, and I did not make any speech aboard ship. My politics have been vaguely liberal but quite dormant!" she said.

Miss Comfort was transferred to Ellis Island after being allowed to see her mother, who was on the pier. "I was questioned again about the circumstances of my trip and about the nature of the I.S.S., what it stood for, who belonged, how one joined, and what it did," she said.

"I was asked whom I voted for in the last election, whether I had attended any political meetings or received any Communist literature, or whether I had ever studied communism and read books by Marx and Lenin," Miss Comfort related. "I never have."

Later, she said, the official questioning her became "profusely polite" and apologetic.

"He apologized for my detention, for the fact there may have been criminals in my room, for the stupidity of some officials. He said how personally ashamed he was for all that had happened."

Sujata and Asoka Indian Dance Team

McGill students interested in modern and ancient dancing are looking forward to the appearance of two Indian dancers, Sujata and Asoka, at His Majesty's Theatre on Oct. 16.

At present on a trans-continental tour of the United States and Canada, the dance team has been acclaimed in Paris and New York as well as in their native India.

Freshette Welcoming Starts With R.V.C. Opening Today

The occasion of the R.V.C. Opening today marks the official welcoming of all freshettes, resident and non-resident, to McGill. This will take place at 4 p.m. in the R.V.C. gymnasium.

Platform guests will include Dr. Muriel Roscoe, dean of women and warden of R.V.C., Miss Ivesh Munro, director of physical education, Diana McNair, chairman of the Freshette Reception Committee, Kayo Little, president of the Women's Union, and Jamie Robb, president of the McGill Women Students' Athletic Association.

Diana McNair will preside and after welcoming the students will introduce the speakers, Dr. Roscoe and Miss Munro. Immediately following the R.V.C. Opening will be an open meeting of the Women's Union held in the

gym and presided over by President Kayo Little. The latter will outline Women's Union activities for the benefit of the freshettes and the facilities of the Women's Union in R.V.C. will be explained. Members of the executive will be introduced.

At 5 p.m. a Big Sisters' Tea will be held in the R.V.C. Common Room. This will give freshettes an opportunity to meet each other as well as senior students. The receiving line will include Dr. Roscoe, Miss Munro, Miss Marie Mottola, president and representatives of R.V.C., Diana McNair, and the Women's Union. Tea will be served by the Red Wings Society.

All women students as well as freshettes are cordially invited to attend the three events.

McGill to Confer 251 Degrees Oct. 6

A total of 251 post-graduate and undergraduate students will have degrees conferred upon them by McGill University at the Founder's Day Convocation on Oct. 6, university officials announced yesterday.

Results of recent examinations were released following a meeting of the university's senate yesterday afternoon. Among the graduating class are 95 students who will receive degrees from the faculty of graduate studies and research.

The list of names and degrees follows:

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Black, Annie, Oak Lake, Man.; Jewett, Marion, Kitchener, Ont.; Levy, Deborah, Lisbon, Portugal; Mayotte, A. S., Montreal; Mayotte, Eileen, T., Montreal; Murphy, Viva, Sydney, Australia; Smith, Joy, Westmount.

MASTER OF ENGINEERING

Barrett, G. E., Lachine; Davis, J. F., Montreal; Ellis, J. S., Kingston, Ont.; Eskenazi, B., Istanbul, Turkey; Harris, P. J., Winnipeg, Man.; Howell, A. B., Boissevain, Man.; Weeks, J. G., Egremont, Alta.

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Alivistos, S. G. A., Athens, Greece; Bagnall, R. H., Fredericton, N.B.; Bird, A. V., Pretoria, South Africa; Castle, R. O., San Francisco, Calif.; Cohen, Harry, B.Sc., Montreal; Collins, Anne, Montreal; Cooperberg, A. A., Montreal; Coulombe, L. J., Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere, Que.; Courtois, Guy, Montreal; Dju, Mei Yu, Soochow, China; Gass, Marcia, Fredericton, N.B.; Gerrits, Egbert, Johannesburg, South Africa; Gorman, T. W., Sydney, N.S.; Goulay, R. H., Vancouver, B.C.; Grainger, E. H., Moncton, N.B.

Kobernick, S. D., Montreal; Lucas, I. A., Norbury, England; McKendry, J. B. R., Ottawa, Ont.; MacLachlan, D. S., Billings Bridge, Ont.; Mahon, John Harold, Barbados, B.W.I.; Niloff, P. H., Sherbrooke, Que.; Nunes, Doris, Jamaica, B.W.I.; Orstein, Wm., Montreal; Rabinovitch, M. S., Montreal; Rishikof, J. R., Val D'Or, Que.; Roberts, H. L., Macon, Georgia; Ross, R. C., Vineland Station, Ont.; Rustad, Ian, Carbonear, Nfld.; Singer, Bertha, Montreal; Skinner, Ralph, Sask. B.C.; Sloan, Norman, Winnipeg, Man.; Summers, W. F., St. Johns, Nfld.; Turner, R. C., Ottawa, Ont.; Walsh, G. C., Montreal; Watson, H. A., Ottawa, Ont.

MASTER OF CIVIL LAW

Sette Camara, Jose, Alfenas, Brazil; Gazdik, J. G., Apatin, Hungary.

MASTER OF ARTS

Calvert, Margaret, Montreal; Chan, V. O., Rosignol, B.C.; Clark, Mary, Simsbury, Conn.; Cree, G. C., Montreal; Gordon, Thelma, Montreal; Hanson, J. C., Fredericton, N.B.; Heron, Woodburn, Walderston, Jamaica, B.W.I.; Heuser, E. A., Montreal; Hoyt, Ruth, Melhuus, Mass.; Jones, Tallies, South Wales; Lash, H. N. H., Montreal; Leavitt, Helen, Montreal; Leppmann, W. A., Winnipeg, Man.; Metcalf, J. F., Kilspeil, Montana; Montgomery, Margaret, Winnipeg, Man.; Orr, P. A., Montreal; Sloan, E. P., Ottawa; Smith, N. E., Saint John, N.B.; Uren, P. E., Basingstoke, England; Wolfe, Nathan, Montreal; Zweig, D. N., Montreal.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Aikin, A. McK., Montreal; Bannard, R. A. B., Ottawa, Ont.; Bird, F. T., Fredericton, N.B.; Birmingham, Marion, Montreal; Bishop, C. T., Liverpool, N.S.; Chapman, D. G., Galt, Ont.; Fraser, J. S., Kensington, P.E.I.; Grad, Bernard, Montreal; Hare, J. H., Acton, Ont.; Harpur, R. P., Easton, N.Z.; Hayward, (Continued on Page 6)

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'REGRETTABLE MISTAKES'

One of the most remarkable cases in the "open season" on university students was the recent arrest and detention of a University of Toronto co-ed in New York.

Daughter of a noted Canadian artist and vice-president of the Students' Administrative Council of Toronto, Miss Ruth Comfort was detained in a cell on Ellis Island when she returned from a trip to Europe where she attended a seminar instructed by outstanding faculty members from various Canadian universities including McGill.

The U.S. State Department has now apologized to Miss Comfort, declaring that she was detained "as the result of a most regrettable and unfortunate mistake." There seems to be little doubt that secret agents of the United States, who took it upon themselves to investigate Canadians on the ship, made a blunder. But there are several disturbing aspects of the which require more explanation.

United States agents could have learned the name of the project she attended from such sources as Prof. J. Cory and Dr. A. R. M. Lower, or Geoffrey Pearson, son of Lester Pearson, Minister of External Affairs, all of whom were in Miss Comfort's party. There was no need to place her in a cell to investigate the seminar which they attended.

While detaining Miss Comfort, agents of the United States asked her how she voted in the last election. Now we think it should be made

quite clear to the United States government that voting in Canada is by secret ballot and not even an officer of the law has any right to demand information on the manner in which a person votes.

The whole case, of course, throws further light on the fact that U.S. agents appear to be going to considerable trouble to check on the activities of Canadian students. They have been gathering data on Canadian university students for the past few years.

For example, if a student were affiliated with a leftist organization on a Canadian campus, some years ago but had given up this political leaning upon graduation, he would find it difficult if not impossible to now cross into the United States. Further evidence of this was obtained by The McGill Daily recently when a young woman was refused admittance to the United States because of campus political affiliations of several years ago.

It would be interesting to know how many secret agents of the United States are attending Canadian universities as "students." This appears to be a fantastic suggestion, of course, but how was it the U.S. had a file on Miss Comfort? Has the U.S. a file on every Canadian student?

Unless there is a change in policy south of the border, we do not think this will be the last "most regrettable and unfortunate mistake."

C. K.

HOW COME?

The attitude of cautious watchfulness generally by the "cold war" has affected many. Not in the least of these is a suspicion indulged in by many Canadian citizens—that of crossing the border into the United States. The unobstructed practice of this habit has been greatly curtailed in the past few months by an increasingly vigilant American Immigration Department.

Newspapers have carried numerous accounts of Canadians refused admission to the United States because of suspected political affiliations or sympathies.

We are unable to judge the actions of the U.S. Immigration Department in most of these cases. Undoubtedly the department has information about the activities of certain of the people concerned but it is not disclosing the facts to the press.

We are able to judge in the latest case of border detention involving a Canadian and the judgment is a condemnation of the U.S. immigration policy. We hope the department has had more grounds for detention in other cases than it has had in this.

Miss Comfort says she had never belonged

to any political organization or its campus affiliate. Her friends corroborate this statement. There is a complete lack of evidence to support any suspicion of Miss Comfort's activities.

The department has made a mistake. An apology would relieve matters to a certain extent but it would not absolve the U.S. government.

In the first place, a Canadian citizen has been acutely embarrassed by American indiscretion. Gratuitous insults are never appreciated and seldom forgotten.

Secondly, the affair has cast reflections upon an organization which was at the time and still is engaged in a program of international understanding.

The American attitude of travellers across its borders betrays a peculiar uneasiness of mind for the self proclaimed "greatest nation in the world."

The American government has every right to stop at its borders whom it will but an indiscriminate policy such as seems to have been followed in the present case produces nothing but strained relations.

—The Toronto Varsity

Hey-Day of Hazing at McGill

By LEONARD R. ASHLEY
Chief Staff Writer, Features

Freshmen these days are being treated more as visiting dignitaries than anything else. A gay round of dances, receptions, parties, teas, smokers and other glad-hand affairs has been arranged for them. Seniors are beginning to wish that they were 12 again (that seems to be the average age of this year's crop of Freshies if upperclassmen's reports are to be trusted).

But it wasn't always like this, and perhaps reading about the trials and tribulations of the Freshmen of yesteryear will make the 1949 arrivals happier with their own lot.

Heights of Absurdity

In 1906 they didn't throw parties for Freshmen—they threw Freshmen. Literally. G. H. "Finney" Fletcher, who retired recently after 25 years as Secretary-Treasurer of the Student's Society, told me what happened to him when he was a Freshman in that year.

The Freshmen had their first lecture in the Macdonald Physics Building—a two-to-three o'clock affair. As they emerged from the building they were met by Sophomores (reinforced with Juniors, as the Freshman class was large). They were picked up bodily and thrown down the hill, landing where the tennis courts and the rapidly named PULP and Paper Institute now stand.

They of course tried to gain the heights and retaliate, by throwing the Sophomores down into the squirming mass at the bottom of the hill, but this was a little difficult. First off, as any tactician will

tell you if asked (which isn't likely), the Sophomores had the point of vantage. The Freshmen, moreover, didn't know their opponents from their own men, and frequently threw other Freshmen down the hill.

At last they were marched down University Street to the lower campus. Their shoes were taken off and made into a huge pile in the centre of the field. This was surrounded by torches and the Freshmen marched round and round it.

At this point my informant managed to break away from the rope and, leaving his shoes behind, fled along Sherbrooke Street—hotly pursued by indignant Sophomores.

Being a track-man, he managed to leave the blood-hounds behind, but being chased through the streets, shoeless and with paint on his face, was almost as embarrassing as what would have happened to him had he been captured.

The Freshmen in return took to partially painting the "Three Bares" dressing them in red flannel underwear.

Finally they were individually fed one little liver pill—for which service they were charged 25 cents each. Anyone who failed to appear properly grateful for this considerate act was fed two pills—and charged 50 cents. There were "special rates" for anyone who was adamant.



All in all it was a method eminently suited to bring Freshmen into close contact with one another (at the bottom of the hill). Today's methods of accomplishing the same thing (witness the sardine-like crush at the Frosh Dance last Tuesday night) are not quite so violent, though admittedly more expensive.

The First World War brought a sobering influence to bear upon McGill, and students were generally less rowdy. The cynical ones amongst us ascribe this to a desire on the part of the students not to be too conspicuous at college when they should have been in the armed forces.

THE FOOTBALL RUSH

After the war the former "hearty welcome" was replaced by an annual "push-ball" game when the late Dr. Barnes of the Physics Department (obviously to avoid the maimed from piling up on his doorstep) donated a huge soccer-like ball some five or six feet in diameter.

The Sophomores and Freshmen played the game on the lower campus. There was no stadium at the time and all games—soccer, rugby, and inter-collegiate football—were played there.

The Sophomores challenged the Freshmen—usually as soon as possible, so that they would have no time to get to know one another or manage any semblance of organization. The Frosh would then attack each other while the Sophomores enjoyed the spectacle.

The game (one was required to push this ball over the opponent's touch line) served to fill in the infrequent lulls between the free fights which it occasioned.

This "football rush," as it was called, flourished until the era of racoon coats and checkered roadsters ushered in the Charleston-dancing hip-flashed, pennant-waving "sheiks" and "flappers." Then

wear, and flying a Jolly Roger (skull and crossbones) from the Arts Building tower.

FROSH-SOPH RIVALRY

The Freshman-Sophomore rivalry became as keen as that which always characterized the yearly Arts versus Engineering snowball fight. This was held in mid-winter and "depainting" an Artsman (to fly the trousers as a flag from the Engineering Building lamp standards) became almost traditional. The Artsman would then have to shimmy the pole, exposed to the rigorous Canadian winter, to recover . . . er, just recover.

In the late '20s an S.E.C. Committee on (of all things!) Morals and Discipline recommended the more strenuous Freshmen welcomes be replaced by a "gentlemanly" game on the lower campus.

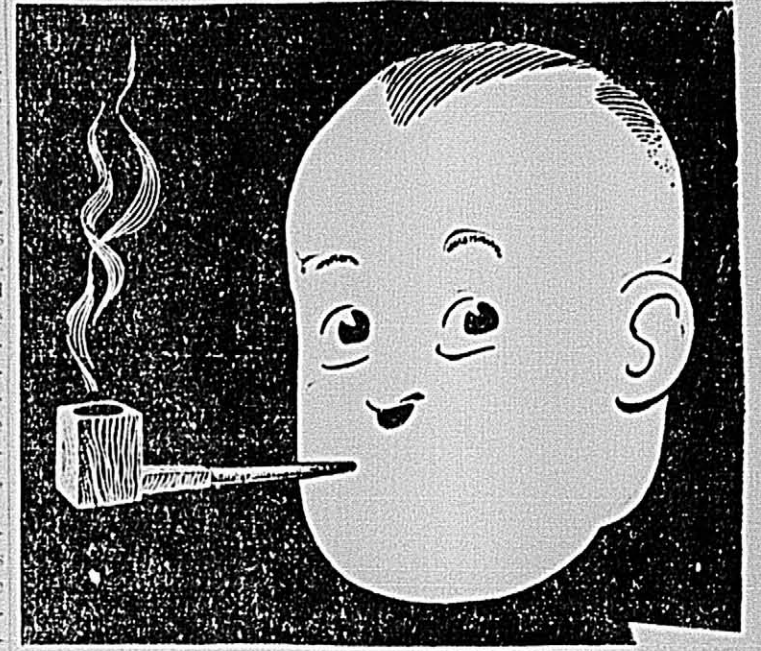
The teams lined up at opposite ends of the field, with five pennants each. The objective was to place your team's pennants on the other team's "pay-dirt." The melee that resulted caused "tut-tuts" from the Faculty and a suggestion from some that the Freshmen hazing should be confined to those backward and unspeakable institutions referred to simply as "the small state colleges of the Middle Western United States."

THE AGE OF CHIVALRY

Gradually, embarrassments replaced concussions and Freshmen were required to wear green hats, green ties, rolled-up trousers (their faculty initial was tittered in green).

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Picture Editorial



THE RECKONING comes next spring when anxious faces, like those above, will peer at examination results. In the meantime, the temptations to ignore classes and books will be many for hundreds of freshmen. The number of students in prominent student offices who fell by the wayside last spring was large. No freshman should make the mistake of keeping out of extra-curricular activities en-

tirely. But the chances of getting into too many activities are great and the consequences disastrous. Make a careful survey of student activities before allowing every campus publicity agent to enlist your membership and choose only those activities which allow you to keep up your studies. You'll be anxiously scanning one of the notice boards sooner than you expect.

(Photo by Martlet).

Music Bursary

Madam Ria Lenssens, Professor of Singing of the McGill Music Faculty, will audition 14 students Monday in connection with the new

Singing Bursary which was announced recently by McGill. The winner of this bursary will be entitled to one year's study with Madam Lenssens, who prior to her appointment to the Music Faculty

at McGill was associated with the Conservatoire Erussels in Belgium. The auditions will be held Monday, Oct. 3, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Announcement of the bursary winner will be made shortly after the auditions by Madam Lenssens.



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Varsity To Honour Marquess of Salisbury

Toronto. — (CUP) — The Marquess of Salisbury, opposition leader in the House of Lords, and Baron Webb-Johnson, president of the Royal College of Surgeons, will be awarded honorary degrees of Doctor of Laws by the University of Toronto, Dr. Sidney Smith has announced. The degrees will be conferred at an afternoon convocation Monday, October 3.

Tuesday and Wednesday of the same week, at 8:30 p.m., Lord Salisbury will give this year's Sir Robert Falconer lecture in Convocation Hall, speaking on "Liberty and Authority — A Re-examination." Dr. Smith referred to Salisbury as an expert on "the problems fac-

ing the western powers in their dealings with the Soviet bloc." The President cited Salisbury's resignation from the Chamberlain cabinet "in protest against appeasement."

"He is a brilliant and courageous parliamentarian and one of the leaders for Western Union," Dr. Smith said.

UBC Uses Boulder For Memorial Cairn

Vancouver. — (CUP) — A giant boulder, deposited by glacial action millions of years ago, is the base for a new memorial cairn erected on the campus at the University of British Columbia this week.

Constructed opposite Brock Hall, the student union building, the cairn commemorates the action of student bodies of the university who raised funds to construct many of UBC's buildings.

Separate bronze plates on the cairn give the projects and the year they were completed. They include: gymnasium, 1929; playing fields, 1931; stadium, 1937; Brock Hall, 1940, and the armouries, 1942.

Carleton Freshmen Suffer 'Parchment'

Ottawa. — (Special) — Freshmen repleat got underway at Carleton College this week as 180 freshmen and freshettes found themselves described as "the very dregs of cerebral ineptitude."

Most important in the proceedings was the "Parchment," a one-page document designed to acquaint the newcomers with at least one member of the executive of five clubs, four senior students and one member of the Students' Council.

Before 8:30 p.m. today each freshman will have to complete his parchment with the necessary 10 signatures. And before obtaining a signature he will have to produce and light a cigarette for the privilege. And most important read the two-paragraph introduction in a loud clear voice.

Carleton has been a busy place with small groups of students reading the document in loud clear voices under the gaze of hard-eyed senior classmen.

They were reading a document designed to reduce them to their proper state of humility. It read in part:

"Behold in this humble personage my Liege, the very dregs of cerebral ineptitude, and permit my moronic self the exquisite pleasure of offering thee a cigarette, in the foolish hope that thou wilt bestow upon me . . . that most desired of all literary gems, thy signature."

Fancy Dress Women students will be at a disadvantage in the attempt to appear not too "moronic" in front of upper classmen—the freshettes cannot wear make-up for five days.

Women were decked out in the black and red-panelled hat with white button, the college colors they carried a six-quart basket

Queen's Plans For Student Congress

Kingston. — (CUP) — A proposal for a Queen's Student Congress has been placed before the Alma Mater Society executive at Queen's University.

The Congress would embrace representatives from all major campus clubs. About 200 students would be members, thus forming a body consisting of about 10 per cent of the student body.

Still in the skeleton stage of organization, the Congress will be designed to make student government at the university more responsive to student opinion.

Nucleus of the Congress would be the present A.M.S. executive, which corresponds to the Students' Council. The A.M.S. would act much the same capacity as a cabinet.

A further body-within-a-body, to give a more stream-lined Congress, would be composed of the present faculty executives and the editors of the main campus publications.

buildings, designed to house up to 500 artists, sculptors and musicians, will be equipped with twentieth-century working and living facilities. Most of the construction costs will be borne by the nations whose students will use the "city" when it is completed.

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The 1949-50 session being no different from any other new school year the "Daily" once again is going through the difficult motions of getting under way with a skeleton staff. This reliance upon a small group of hard working enthusiasts is unfair to these people and makes the production of a good newspaper practically impossible until the regular nightly staffs are once again operating.

With this in view it is imperative that all news staff report, as soon as possible to the newsroom so that the nightly teams can be planned. Therefore, all desk editors will meet in the newsroom at 1 p.m. Monday, October 3rd, at which time their nights will be assigned. All news reporters are advised to place their names and phone numbers on the lists posted in the newsroom signifying the night that they will be on duty for the coming year.

Arnold A. Lowery,
News Editor

Paris Students Have Art City

For many years, "University City" in Paris has served as a meeting-ground for all races and languages. Today, a similar project is under way to build an "International City of Art."

The idea was suggested by a Dutch painter and taken up enthusiastically in the Netherlands, Sweden, Denmark, Egypt and Canada. The city of Paris has agreed to provide land for the buildings, without charge — and it is land with a long history behind it. The "City of Art" will be built next to a fifteenth-century mansion just across the Seine from the Cathedral of Notre Dame. Architecturally, it will harmonize with its historic surroundings, but there the resemblance ends. The new

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"Brainless" Frosh Active At Manitoba

Winnipeg. — (CUP) — The University of Manitoba's vocal declaration that another scholastic year is under way will be heard resounding over campus during the week of Oct. 3-7, when freshmen traditionally leave their brains at home and give their lungs and feet a mighty workout at pow wows, pep rallies, parades and dances.

Highlighting the five-day celebration week will be the appearance of Nat "King" Cole, famed jazz pianist and vocalist, on the reviewing stand at Portage avenue and Donald street Friday, Oct. 7, to judge the best floats in what committee members call "Canada's most impressive freshman day parade."

Freshie queen candidates, cheerleaders, drum majorettes, a dozen faculty floats, an army of "frosh," a sports meet and a monster dance — all rolled into one day, Oct. 7 — will climax a week that most students regard as the beginning of the real new year.

The final day will open with the parade marching to the Playhouse theatre where freshmen will meet their student union officers and hear an address by Samuel Freedman, honorary president of the University of Manitoba Student Union.

From there special buses will take them to a free lunch and field day at Sargent park. In the evening, at the civic auditorium, freshmen will meet the queen to whom they will pay homage for the rest of the year. Winner of the trophy float will also be announced that night.

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McGill's Vic Obeck isn't the only intercollegiate football coach immersed in the deepest of despair at the present time. Mr. Robert Masterson, director of the destinies of the University of Toronto football team also has his troubles.

Masterson's official voice, publically director Harry Griffiths reports that all is not well with Mr. Bruce Cummings, passer and quarterback extraordinary. It seems that "Bustin' Bruce," as Griffiths calls him is suffering from a shoulder injury.

Cummings injured his shoulder in an early season practice and then proceeded to aggravate it in last week's game with the Sarnia Imperials. How long Cummings will be on the sidelines is problematical. Nobody is quite sure how the injury will react to treatment.

However Masterson's dark cloud has a silver lining. No intercollegiate coach whose squad holds a powerful senior aggregation like the Sarnia Imperials to an 18-11 verdict has a right to wear a permanent frown. To do that there must have been some bright spots in his team play.

Perhaps the brightest spot was the play of four first year backs. These boys, Bazos, Hadlow, Sinclair and Brewer stole the show from the returning backfield veterans. And to cap it all both Bazos and Brewer are triple-threat men. These boys, especially Bazos who was the star of the Sarnia game, should make up for the loss to Toronto and Nick Volpe.

The situation along the line was different. This time the returning men carried the play. But no more could be expected because Varsity had by far and away the biggest and best front wall in the league last year.

The line will be strengthened this season by the addition of Peter Bennett, a 220 pound tackle. Bennett at present is sidelined with a knee injury but should be in sound physical shape by the time the intercollegiate opener with Queen's rolls around one week from Saturday.

Next Saturday at Varsity Stadium, the Blues play hosts to Balmy Beach. Last season, the Blues were held to a 7-7 tie with the Beaches, when little Dougie Fyzer ran from behind his goal line, the length of the field to tie the score in the dying minutes. The Blues are looking for a happier ending this Saturday.

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THUMBNAIL SKETCHES OF 1949 REDMEN

BIEWALD, HAL: Second year man with the senior Redmen he hails from Oceanside, N. Y. where he learned his football. A catching half last season, Hal has been converted to an end position in the 1949 setup, and his six-foot-one, 180 pound frame is expected to be a valuable asset in that spot.

CALDWELL, DAVE: Another McGillian from across the border, Dave comes to Redmen with such grid credentials as a member of Amherst College, Mass., and Yale University club. He starred at basketball in his first season at McGill and is also bidding for an outside grid berth. He is in second year medicine.

CAPOGRECO, VINCE: A product of that hotbed of football, Ottawa, Vince is the shortest man on the squad at five-foot-seven, but packs 195 pounds. He's out of Ottawa Tech and University of Ottawa, where he distinguished himself as a halfback and inside wing. He is after a line berth with McGill.

EASTON, ARNOLD: One of Montreal's promising stars out of high school ranks, with Catholic High, had a tryout with the Big Four Alouettes last season and was impressive in his bid. He played some sterling ball with the McGill seconds last fall and is looked on as sure-fire material for the snapback job this semester. He's in second year Commerce.

FAIRHEAD, HAROLD 'Shorty': He's one of the experienced men on the roster, having played with the Lachine R.C.A.F. team that lost out, 7-6, in the Grey Cup finals to Hamilton Wildcats in 1943; a member of Dawson College in 1948 and the past two years with the senior McGill twelve. He plays quarterback, halfback or end, and is the hard-driving type of player who gives plenty all the way, despite his 160 pounds.

IRVING, HAROLD 'Harry': This newcomer to the McGill team can be labelled the 'Champ' for on every team he's played his football, there's been a title. He was three years with West End junior tornadoes when they copped provincial crowns and a Western Canadian award. In two years with University of Alberta Golden Bears, came two more varsity titles and last season he was understudy to ace passer Keith Spait on the Grey Cup champion Calgary Stampede.

KNUBLEY, JAMES: Although weighing only 170 pounds, 'Knub' is one of the most reliable snapbacks in the pack. He came out of West Hill High where he played dependable ball and last year was with Dawson Intermediates.

ROBILLARD, GENE: Star of McGill's intermediate squad last season, this former Ottawa Tech boy is a triple-threat backfielder who can pass, kick and run in fine style. He is expected to add plenty of punch to the team's halfline and may work as a running mate for cousin 'Rocky' Robillard.

WALLY, WALLY: Holder of an intercollegiate heavyweight wrestling title, he has been a star with McGill's senior squad for the past three seasons. Built like a tank, Wally is rated one of the best linemen in the intercollegiate union and when the going's tough, he's always in the middle of it. Wally is taking a pre-med course.

MEIROWITZ, MARVIN: In first year with McGill, this product of Syracuse University, and San Diego Navy teams, stirred the placid fellows with his hard blocking tactics. He revels in the hard-banging department at tackle and can be considered one of McGill's starters again this fall.

MITCHENER, JIM: Confere of Harry Irving on the Grey Cup champion Stampede last fall, this Vancouver boy has also been in on several title teams. He played with the 1947 Dominion champion junior Vancouver Blue Bombers and played with King Edward High School senior football and English rugby champions of 1948. He also is a bangup basketball player and displays some of his deft ball handling tactics in the grid pastime as a fleet pass receiver.

MacLELLAN, BOB: A versatile athlete out of St. Michael's College, Toronto, Bob is expected to make the Big Red team in his first try this fall. He played with St. Mike's last fall at right tackle and also held down the goal tending job for the college's O.H.A. junior squad. He also rowed with the Argonaut heavy eight at Henley regatta last season and his hobby is music. Bob is in pre-med.

McALLISTER, BOB: Holder of a Maritime boxing title, he is a hard-lacking end, who is making his first try with the Redmen. He last played football at Westmont High School and before entering McGill attended RCN-RCAF College.

NEWMAN, JOHN: The peppercorn of the Redmen is fighting for a regular berth on the team for a fourth season. A 215 pound lineman, John is a holler guy who instills a lot of fight in his teammates and is a going concern at all times when on the playing field. He was a member of the Fourth Armored Division team that beat the U.S. for the North Western European football title in 1945 and was Dominion champion junior shot putter in 1938-39.

STANLEY, ROBERT: This graduate from McGill intermediate ranks, is one of those sure-handed backfielders who you can depend on in the clutch. He's a native of Toronto and played some sterling football while attending Ridley College. He's taking phys. ed.

Fraternity-type Dorms Slated for Lafayette

A new housing plan intended to give resident students the same social life advantages as those acquired by students who join fraternities is being started at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.

Three new dormitories are being organized as "social dorms" which resident students will operate in much the same manner as fraternity members operate their living quarters.

Housing 35 to 40 men each, the dormitories will include dining rooms, lounge rooms, recreation rooms, and other similar features of a fraternity house—all to be operated by the students.

Lafayette President Ralph C. Hutchison says the plan was devised because of increased enrolment and other factors which eliminate many students from the advantages of fraternity life.

He points out, however, that unlike fraternities, the dormitory



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Who's Who on the Redmen

Name	Position	Home Town	Age	Wt.	Ht.
BARWICK, Ken	End	Montreal	20	155	6.1
BIEWALD, Harold	Half	Ocean Slide, N.Y.	21	180	6.1 1/2
BLACK, Perry	Guard	Montreal	19	178	6.0
BLAUER, Haskell	Half	Montreal	18	170	5.8
CALDWELL, Dave	End	Manchester, Conn.	22	185	6.2
COLIZZA, Vincent	Half	Hamilton	24	205	6.0
CAPOGRECO, Vincent	Tackle	Ottawa	22	195	5.7
COCKFIELD, Alan	End	Montreal	20	170	6.1 1/2
ELLERBECK, Dennis	Centre	Winnipeg	26	190	5.11
DRAPER, John	End	Montreal	20	165	5.10 1/2
EASTON, Arnold	Centre	Montreal	21	195	6.0
EVERDEN, Ian	Guard	St. Johns, Que.	23	185	5.11
FAIRSTAT, Ted	Guard	Montreal	21	205	6.1
FAIRHEAD, Harold	Half	Montreal	23	160	5.9
FISHER, John	Guard	Montreal	22	180	5.8
FOSTER, Roderick	End	Westmount	17	165	5.11
GAREAU, Richard	End	Regina	18	172	5.10
HACKETT, Dave	Half	Boston	22	160	5.9
HEADLEY, Randolph	End	Sydney, N.S.	26	170	6.0
HORSBURGH, Keith	Half	Montreal	19	200	6.3 1/2
IRVING, Harold	Half	Calgary	21	175	6.0
KNUBLEY, James	Centre	Montreal	21	170	6.0
KOWAL, Walter	Guard	Verdun	23	205	5.9
LAWTON, Russell	End	Montreal	24	174	6.1
LINDSAY, Charles	Centre	Ottawa	19	195	6.1
LITZKY, Gerald	Centre	Plattsburgh, N.Y.	18	195	5.11
MacLELLAN, Robert	Tackle	Toronto	19	190	6.2
MacLELLAN, Maurice	Guard	Montreal	20	180	5.11
MEIROWITZ, Marvin	Tackle	Newton, Mass.	23	205	6.1
MENARD, Donald	Half	Timmins, Ont.	20	170	5.11
MENARD, Robert	End	Timmins, Ont.	24	180	5.11
MITCHENER, James	End	Vancouver	20	175	6.0
McALLISTER, Robert	End	Montreal	19	160	5.8
McPHERSON, James	Tackle	Winnipeg	18	210	6.2
NEWMAN, John	Guard	Montreal	25	215	6.2
NEWTON, Robert	Guard	Montreal	19	165	5.7
PARSONS, James	Guard	Westmount	19	195	6.0
PULLAR, William	Tackle	Calgary	23	220	6.0
ROBILLARD, Eugene	Half	Eastview, Ont.	20	160	5.9
ROBILLARD, Rock	Half	Ottawa	27	155	5.8
ROBINSON, Peter	Half	Montreal	20	170	5.11
ROGERS, James T.	Half	Montreal	22	150	5.10 1/2
ROGERS, John P.	Half	Montreal	21	160	5.10 1/2
SHARP, Ronald	Centre	Ottawa	24	200	6.2
STANLEY, Robert	Half	Toronto	21	160	5.10
STEWART, George	End	Shaw, Falls, Ont.	19	168	5.11
THOMPSON, William	Half	Montreal	18	175	5.11
THOMSON, Blair	Half	Keene, Ont.	20	180	5.10
TILLEY, Dawson	Half	Montreal	23	180	6.0
TOMLINSON, Dave	Guard	Calgary	23	215	6.0
TOTZKE, Carl	Half	Kitchener	23	172	5.11
VALOIS, George	Half	Montreal	19	195	5.10
WAGNER, Kenneth	Half	Pembroke, Ont.	24	200	6.0
WARD, Sydney	Half	Montreal	21	170	5.11
WARNER, Edson	Guard	Lennoxville	19	165	5.9 1/2
WHITMAN, Clyde	Tackle	Montreal	20	218	6.2
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paint on their legs) and humble expressions. They stepped off side-walks for upperclassmen. They walked backwards up the Arts Building steps. And sometimes, after a particularly successful Freshman smoke, they paraded to and stormed a local "legitimate" theatre and failing to get in (the manager had seen them coming and had locked the doors) quietly broke the windows, tore the front off the theatre and continued on their merry way along St. Catherine street.

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She has already been "adopted" by two members of the UBC International Student Club, who helped her register in her courses at the University Saturday. The girls, Miss Joan Gonnason of Victoria and Miss Mary Letterman, will act as "big sisters" to Miss Valters until she is familiar with the campus.

It probably won't take her long, as Miss Valters travelled alone all the way from Hamburg, Germany in a little over six weeks.

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year's hazing rules specify. After several false starts they obliged by singing two choruses of "James McGill."

On his way out a prosperous-looking gentleman stopped at our table. He used to go to McGill and wanted to know about this year's hazing. We very briefly outlined the program for him.

He merely muttered: "The old school isn't what she used to be. Feeble, that's what it is. Feeble!" and went his way, looking at the insignificant Freshie buttons of today and probably thinking of those which the Good old Days memory had glorified into heroic, saucer-like proportions.

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Apparently McGill students aren't the only ones in the college big four to have trouble getting seats for their home games. Varsity scholars may even have a little more trouble. It is reported that seats will be practically unobtainable by the time the season opens.

McGill plays its second league game of the season with the Blues. The contest is scheduled for Saturday, October 15 at Molson Stadium.

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CALGARY—p. 4

Unity.

With all this material at their disposal, coaches Red Syrett, Murray Hayes and John Birkett are working hard to mould a fighting outfit which will be a top contender for title honors in the new Ottawa-St. Lawrence Valley loop.

The Inters open their season at home against Carleton College. On successive Saturdays following this opener, they oppose Dawson, Queens, Macdonald and Bishop's. They finish up their schedule on the road against Ottawa U. in the Capital City. This final tussle should prove to be a tough one for the Ted Edwards coached twelve was the same team that gave the Senior Redmen a stiff fight before going down to defeat.

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SPECIAL FINANCIAL MEETING

There will be a meeting in the McGill Union at 5:00 p.m., on Wednesday, 5th October, 1949, (Room to be posted in Union) of the Presidents or Chairmen and Treasurers of all organizations whose finances are controlled by the S.E.C. with the President of the Students' Society and the Finance Committee to discuss financial matters for the college year 1949-50. It is most important that everyone turn out sharp at 5:00 !!!

HAROLD CORRIGAN, MIKE ELLWOOD,

Finance Committee, Students' Executive Council.

Denovan, W. G., Outremont; Feldman, S., Montreal; Hankinson, A. W., Town of Mount Royal; Miller, I. C., Montreal; Mouk Sang, Mayleen, Berbice, British Columbia; Ramsay, F. L., Montreal; Robichaud, G. J., Granby, P.Q.; Quayle, O. J., Montreal; Trerice, R. L., Montreal; Turner, K. E., Montreal; Waterton, T. F., Westmount.

LICENTIATE IN MUSIC

Lastoria, Dominic (Performers), Montreal; Makin, Isabel (School Teacher), Montreal.

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Alberta to Confer Honorary Degrees

Edmonton. — (CUP) — At its fall convocation the University of Alberta will confer the honorary degree of doctor of laws upon three men who have made distinguished contributions to the development and welfare of western Canada in three fields of endeavour — Journalism, education and agricultural science.

Arthur Balmer Watt of Edmonton, who had a long and distinguished career in journalism will receive an honorary degree and will also give the convocation address. Others to be honored are James Fowler of Calgary, principal of the Provincial Institute of Technology and Art, who has served the Alberta Department of Education for 39 years; and L. B. Thomson, O.B.E., of Regina, who has played a leading role in the scientific improvement of western agriculture for more than 20 years.

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